

Vanleuvenigh House  
Delaware Street and Strand  
New Castle, Delaware

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PHOTOGRAPHS  
WRITTEN HISTORICAL AND DESCRIPTIVE DATA  
District of Delaware

Historic American Buildings Survey  
Weston H. Blake, District Officer  
909 West Street, Wilmington, Delaware

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THE OLD ARSENAL  
New Castle, New Castle County, Delaware

Owner: Trustees of The Market Square

Date of Erection: 1809

Present Condition: Good: due to recent work

Number of Stories: Two, loft and cellar

Materials of Construction: Foundations, stone and brick;  
Exterior walls brick; structural timbers, floors, trim, of usual  
kinds; roof originally shingles, now tin.

Other Existing Records: "New Castle on the Delaware"

Additional Data: The original condition of this building was this:  
a one story brick structure with large doorways on ground level at  
each end, for reception of ammunition or other material. No cellar  
at first. In 1852, the roof was removed, and a second story, stairs,  
new roof and cupola added. At various later dates, toilets and other  
additions were made. These, for the most part, were removed during  
1936, and the building brought to conform in general appearance with  
the colonial character of its surroundings.

Laussat R. Rogers

Approved

Herbert H. Mahle  
District Officer

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